

State of Alaska Local Boundary Commission (LBC)

Notice of Public Hearing and Meeting

The LBC will conduct a public hearing in Homer on Saturday, November 20, 2004, at 10 a.m., at the Homer City Council Chambers, 491 East Pioneer Avenue, to consider the impact of the March 2002 annexation by the City of Homer on the Kachemak Emergency Service Area as directed by remand from the superior court.

The hearing will be conducted under 3 AAC 110.560. Following the hearing, the LBC may convene a decisional session regarding the matter in accordance with 3 AAC 110.570.

Before the hearing the LBC will meet at 8 a.m., at 4786 Homer Spit Road (Land's End Resort) to undertake a tour by automobile of the estimated 4.58 square miles of territory annexed to the City of Homer in March 2002.

A set of guidelines to promote efficient and effective testimony at the hearing was included in the *Final Report on Remand* prepared by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development. That report was provided directly to 35 individuals and organizations. Fifteen copies of the report were provided to both the Homer City Clerk and the Homer Public Library. That report and other materials dealing with the remand issue are also available for review on the Internet at http://www.commerce.state.ak.us/dca/lbc/homer annex remand.htm.

Individuals with disabilities who need reasonable accommodations to participate should contact LBC staff by November 10, 2004. Further information concerning the hearing is available from:

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